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DECORATION DAY

THE NATIONAL MARCH SONG

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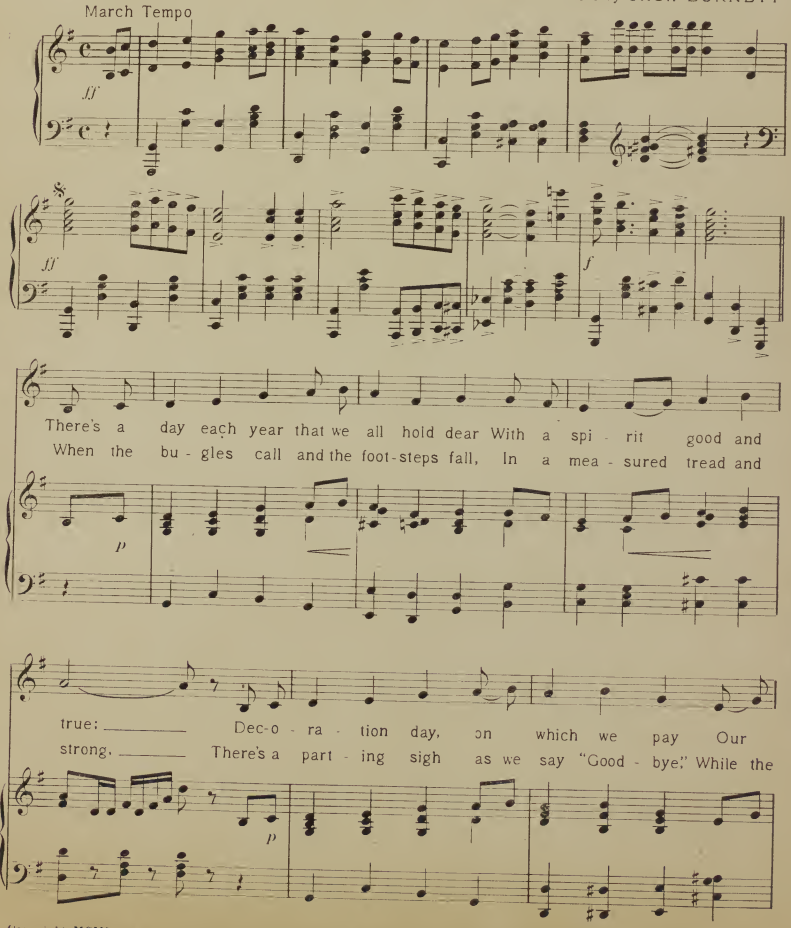
March Tempo
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There's a day each year that we all hold dear With a spi - rit good and
When the bu - gles call and the foot-steps fall, In a mea - sured tread and
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true: Dec-o - ra - tion day, on which we pay Our
strong, There's a part - ing sigh as we say "Good - bye." While the
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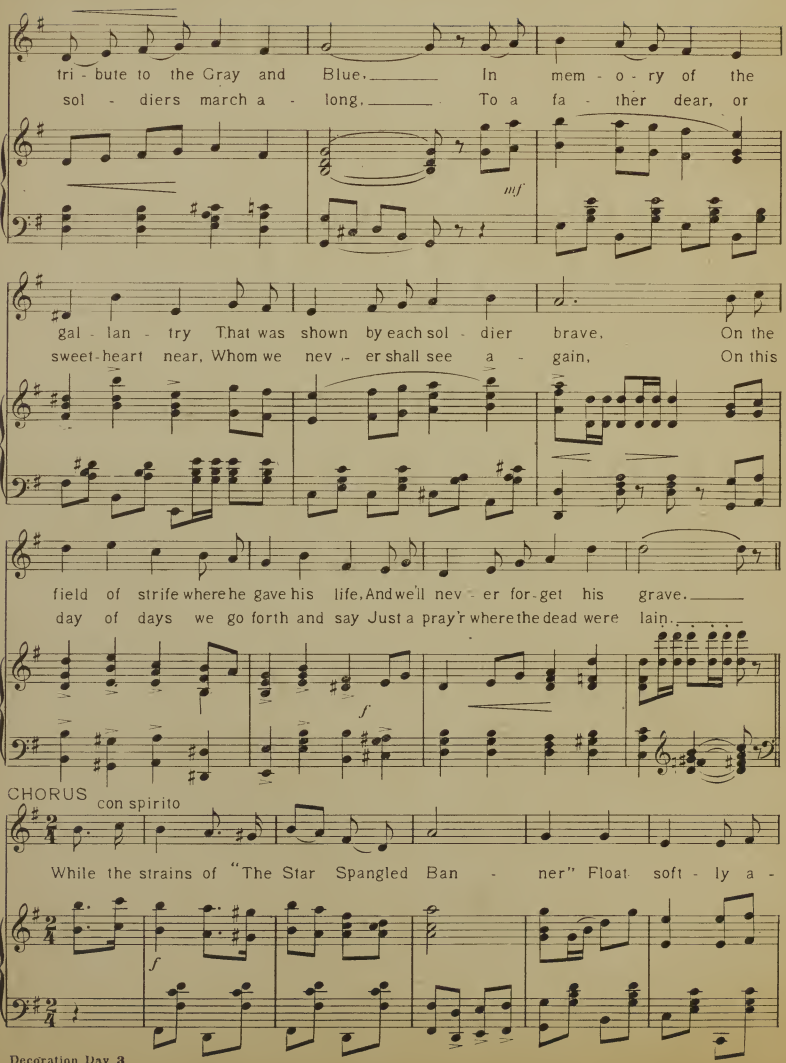
tri - bute to the Gray and Blue. In mem - o - ry of the
sol - diers march a - long. To a fa - ther dear, or
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gal - lan - try That was shown by each sol - dier brave. On the
sweet-heart near, Whom we nev - er shall see a - gain, On this
field of strife where he gave his life, And we'll nev - er for-get his grave.
day of days we go forth and say Just a pray'r where the dead were lain.
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While the strains of "The Star Spangled Ban - ner" Float soft - ly a -
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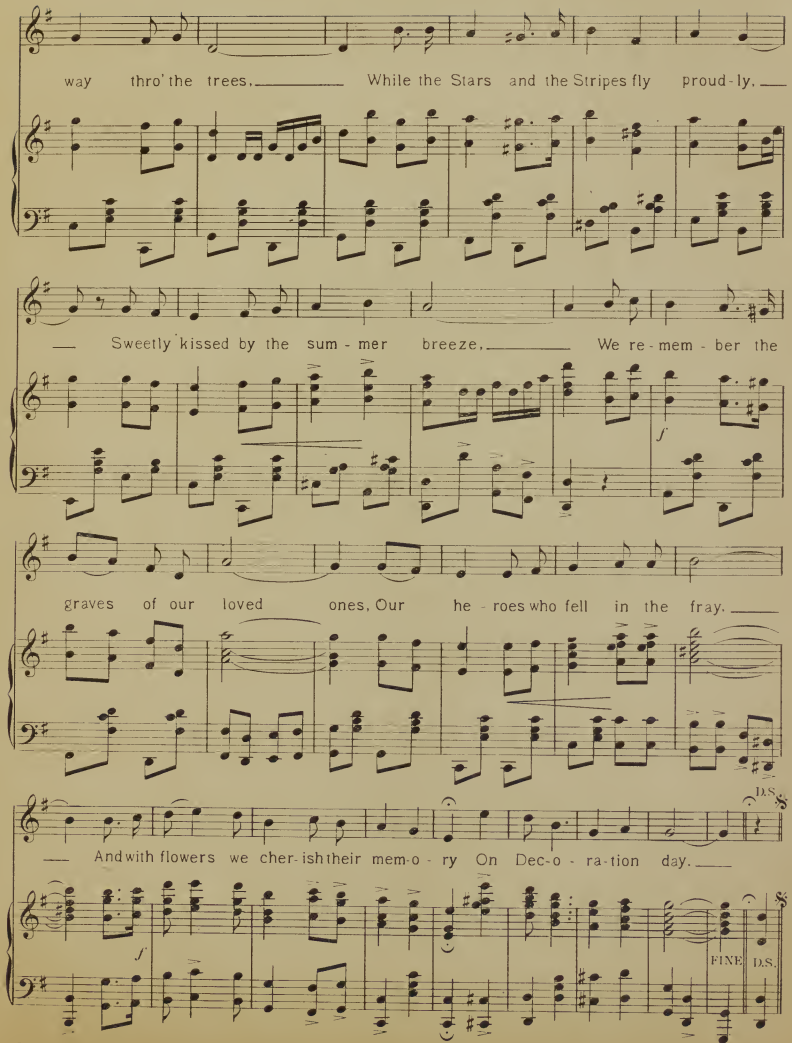
way thro' the trees, While the Stars and the Stripes fly proud-ly,
Sweetly kissed by the sum-mer breeze, We re-mem-ber the
graves of our loved ones, Our he-roes who fell in the fray,
And with flowers we cher-ish their mem-o-ry On Dec-o-ra-tion day,
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